



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

MARUYAMA et al

**Serial No.: 09/863,324**

Filed: May 24, 2001

For: A PROTECTIVE FILM TRANSFER  
SHEET FOR PHOTO MASKS AND  
A METHOD FOR TRANSFERRING  
A PROTECTIVE FILM USING  
THE SAME

) Examiner: Chang, Victor S.

) Art Unit: 1771

RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION OF OCTOBER 1, 2004

**Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**Sir:**

Responsive to the final action of October 1, 2004, please amend the captioned application as follows: